

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Junming Le, Jan Vilcek, Peter Daddona, John Ghrayeb, David M. Knight and Scott Siegel

Application No.: 09/133,119

Group: 1642

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Examiner: K. Canella

For: ANTI-TNF ANTIBODIES AND PEPTIDES OF HUMAN TUMOR NECROSIS FACTOR

HAND DELIVEREDPETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIMEAssistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a Reply to the Office Action dated June 19, 2000 for three months from September 19, 2000 to December 19, 2000.

	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Other than Small Entity</u>
1 month -	\$ 55	\$ 110
2 months -	\$ 195	\$ 390
3 months -	\$ 445	X \$ 890
4 months -	\$ 695	\$1,390
5 months -	\$ 945	\$1,890

- [] A check is enclosed in the amount of the extension fee indicated above, or the extension fee has been included in the check with the accompanying Reply.
- [X] Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-0380 in the amount of \$890.00 to cover the cost of the extension fee.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 08-0380. A copy of this letter is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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